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County Parks Offer Best Local Sledding Hills

The first snowstorms are beginning to move across the nation, and locally, children are waiting anxiously to pull their sleds and snowboards out of storage. The race to become the first to leave their sled's wake in the snow is on and the Fairfax County Park Authority has some of the best sledding hills in the area! This winter come out to the parks and discover the joy of winter activity in your neighborhood.

There are 400 parks in our system on nearly 24,000 acres of parkland owned by the Fairfax County Park Authority. However, the parks with the best sledding hills include:

- Lake Fairfax Park located at Lake Fairfax Drive in Reston, just off Route 606. Sledding on the hill behind the picnic area restrooms.
- Mason District Park located at 6621 Columbia Pike, Annandale, approximately two miles east of the Little River Turnpike. Sledding on the hill at the end of Meadow Trail.
- Jefferson Manor Park located at 2909 Farmington Drive at the intersection of Telegraph and Franconia Roads in Alexandria. Sledding on the hill from the shelter building toward Telegraph Road.
- Cardinal Forest Park located at 6121 Roxbury Avenue in Springfield. Sledding along the sewer easement between Carleigh Parkway and Roxbury Avenue.
- Greenway Heights Park located at 8203 Riding Ridge Place in Great Falls, just south of Rt. 193. Sledding through the stream valley property.
- Westgate Park at 7550 Magarity Road in McLean, approximately one mile east of Tysons Corner. Sledding behind the second ball field.

Other parks with sledding hills include: Brookfield Park, Burke Lake Park, Canterbury Woods, Crooked Creek Park, Franconia Park, George Mason Park, Lakeside Park, Marie Butler Leven Preserve, Nottoway Park, Patriot Park (formerly Popes Head), Stringfellow Park, Surrey Square Park and Woodglen Lake Park

The Park Authority reminds citizens that sledding and skiing are prohibited at all County golf courses in Fairfax County. Sledders must furnish all of their own equipment and sled at their own risk. Visit www.fairfaxcounty.gov/parks for more information or call the Public Information Office at 703-324-8662.

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